

The leaders of the Democratic party should keep in mind the fact that right can never afford to concede anything to wrong.

The sub-treasury system, which Secretary Gage is so anxious to destroy, was established under the administration of Martin Van Buren.

It would be a unique spectacle to see Senator Gorman, a protectionist, leading a low tariff fight. Yet this is what some of our politicians seem to favor.

If the Democratic party is not to oppose Secretary Gage's idea of letting national banks issue all of our paper money, without any deposits of government bonds to secure their notes, and of permitting them to loan the surplus cash of the government as if it were their private assets, it had better go out of business.

The New York Sun has many nice things to say about Henry Watterson. That gentleman amply deserves the highest praise from that source. He, as much as any other one man, contributed to the Republican victory in 1896. The Sun is the organ of the plutocracy in New York City, and praise from it is not the best evidence of Democracy.

Mr. A. B. Stickney can have his way there will be a great central bank in this country, such as was the old United States bank, with branches all over the United States. "The resources of the other banks," says the New York Sun, "should consist of credits upon this great central bank's ledger." Of course, all the funds of the United States would be held by it. The people, under the leadership of Andrew Jackson, destroyed the old United States Bank, and they will not allow that inequity to be re-established without a fight. Their recent success may have the effect of making the plutocracy over-confident.

No one acquainted with the facts will be able to successfully dispute that great changes in our financial system are being contemplated by the banking syndicates, who now seem to be all powerful in our government. It is needless to add that these changes will be in the direction of fortifying the monopoly of money which they now enjoy. *Bradstreet's* summarizes the remarks of Secretary Gage before the Bankers' Association at Milwaukee, as follows: "The Secretary holds that the present is the most propitious time in the history of the country to enter on the task of eliminating elements of financial weakness. He urges the retirement of the legal tenders, the modification of the bank-note system, so as to make it responsive to commercial and industrial requirements, the cessation of the government's guaranty of bank-note issues beyond its action as trustee for the people in relation to the banks, the deposit in the national banks of the public moneys in excess of a reasonable working balance for daily use, and the application of the surplus revenue to the reduction of the public debt." "This programme," says *Bradstreet's*, "has in it no elements of novelty, but there has never been a time since the establishment of the banking system when it was so likely to receive serious consideration as today." Stripped of surplus verbiage, this is a scheme to retire the greenbacks, abolish the sub-treasures, permit national banks to issue their notes under the supervision of the government without deposit of bonds to secure them—for it is suggested that the surplus be applied to the payment of the national debt—and the present national banking system dies with the national debt. The government would probably print the notes and look after the solvency of the banks as it does now. Of course, when a national bank should fail, as fail they frequently do, either the note holder or the government would lose the amount of notes issued. The scheme is not well defined in this respect. Every dollar of the people's money in the United States Treasury, except that necessary for daily use, is to be turned over to the banks without charge, to be re-loaned to the people it belongs to at the market rate of interest. It is the cheekiest piece of highway robbery that has ever been openly proposed in a civilized country. It is as if farmer Smith should go to farmer Jones and borrow fifty dollars from him without interest, and then loan it back to him at a round rate of interest. It is not strange that the great city dailies do not fight this proposition. They dare not. The average country editor will not be apt to know much about it until it becomes a law, if the financial issue is not kept steadily and persistently to the front. By the way, where do our friends the reorganizers stand upon this question? The members of Congress from this state should keep an eye upon all banking and currency legislation. Every detail of any bill affecting banks and currency

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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 27, 1901,

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For Benefit of Catholic School.

Workman's Hall, Graniteville, Mo.

ADMISSION, 50 CENTS

should be carefully scrutinized. No more crimes like that of 1873 should be permitted. Where are those gentlemen that protest from the hustings against monopoly and governmental partnership with private enterprises? Has the Jefferson Club lost its voice?

A Village Blacksmith Saved His Little Son's Life.

Mr. H. H. Black, the well-known village blacksmith at Grahamsville, Sullivan Co., N. Y., says: "Our little son, five years old, has always been subject to croup, and so had have the attacks been that we have feared many times that he would die. We have had the doctor and used many medicines, but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is now our sole reliance. It seems to dissolve the tough mucus and by giving frequent doses when the croupy symptoms appear we have found that the dreaded croup is cured before it gets settled." There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains no opium or other injurious drug and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.



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School Board Proceedings.

Board met with the following members present: Ira A. Marshall, President; W. T. Gay, P. W. Whitworth and C. S. Russell. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Teachers' reports for the month of October received and filed and warrants ordered drawn to pay the teachers' salaries. Also, warrants ordered drawn to pay janitors' salaries.

The following bills were presented and allowed: Moses Lax, 5 cords wood to colored school, \$10.

F. Rodenbough, ten cords wood, \$20. Newman Farmer, repairing seats and for pointers, \$2.

Whitworth & Huff, supplies for white school, \$11.25.

Whitworth & Huff, supplies for colored school, \$1.

A motion carried that school be dismissed on the day following Thanksgiving for the teachers to attend the Southeast Missouri Teachers' Association, to be held at Farmington, Mo.

No further business, board adjourned to next regular meeting.

W. H. DELANO, Secretary.

Geo. A. Points, Upper Sandusky, O., writes: "I have been using Foley's Honey and Tar for hoarseness and find it the best remedy ever tried. It stopped the cough immediately and relieved all soreness." Take none but Foley's. Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

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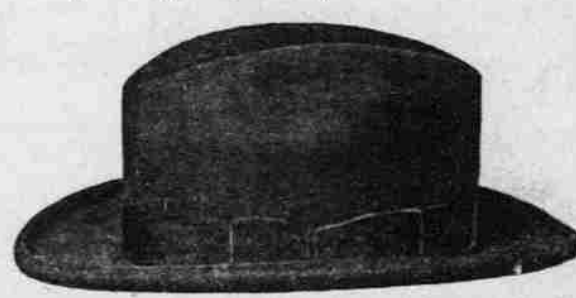
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